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History of Broadway Road

- In 1972 Maricopa County Department of Transportation constructed Broadway Road between Power Road and Ellsworth Road.
- Broadway Road from Hawes to Sossaman was built with an inverted crown and without a storm drain system.
- Broadway Road often floods between Sossaman and Hawes because the capacity of this roadway section can't handle the flows from the north.
- Inside travel lanes are routinely restricted due to the flooding.
- During storm events Broadway Road has become flooded to the point that it is impassable and the City completely closes the road.



Broadway Road flooding





Project Scope

- Replacing the existing inverted crown in Broadway with City standard crowned roadway section.
- Improve Broadway Road from Sossaman to Hawes Road while providing two through lanes with a bike lane in each direction.
- Widen Sossaman and Broadway intersection to three through lanes, dual left turn lanes, a right turn lane and a bike lane in each direction.
- Install new street amenities including curb and gutter, street lighting and traffic signals.
- Construct storm drain system, culverts, water lines, and waster water lines.
- Install landscaping with irrigation and construct masonry walls in select areas.
- SRP will underground existing overhead power lines and remove utility poles along Broadway Road.

Funding for this project is available in the 2008 Streets Bond Authorization, 2010 Water Bond Authorization and the 2010 Wastewater Bond Authorization

This project started in September 2012 and the estimated completion is July 2014.

Progress photos







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Storm drain installation















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